

# PUBLIC LEDGER



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## Maysville Weather.

What May Be Expected Here During the Next Thirty-six Hours.

### THE LEDGER CODE.

White streamer—FAIR;  
Blue—BATH or RAIN;  
Black ABOVE—WILL WARMER GROW.  
Black BELOW—COLDER—WILL BE!  
If Black's not shown no change will be seen.  
The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Judge E. J. Fox of Dover is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. William Grant has returned from a visit at Cincinnati.

Miss Myrtle Filson has returned from a visit at Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Coughlin have returned from their bridal trip.

Mr. A. B. Fields of Fern Leaf was a caller on THE LEDGER yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boyd and little daughter, Marguerite, of Cincinnati are visiting the former's uncle, C. M. Redman, at Rosedale near Springdale. Accompanying them is Mr. Boyd's little cousin, Mustel Venoy, also of Cincinnati.

All kinds of Field Seeds—Clover, Timothy, etc. M. C. RUSSELL & SON.

White Burley Tobacco reached 2 1/4 cents on the Cincinnati Breaks last week.

A movement has been inaugurated to establish a home for Confederates in Kentucky.

Mr. A. B. Fields of Fernleaf has sold his crop of tobacco, 14,215 pounds, to Mr. A. P. Stiles at 9 cents a pound.

Mr. A. P. Gooding, formerly of this county, has bought the J. K. Megibben farm near Lair and will move on it the first of March.

Chapped hands, cracked lips and roughness of the skin cured quickly by Eucalypti Salve, most healing ointment in the world. J. Jas. Wood & Son and Armstrong & Co.

## THE REDMEN.

A Delightful Meeting Held in Their Wigwam Last Night.

There was a good attendance at the Wigwam of Wyandotte Tribe No. 3 last night, the members being called together to meet the Great Sachem, W. C. Diederich, of Ashland.

During the Great Sachem's Long Talk he explained the progress the Order has made during his administration.

Fourteen new Tribes, with a membership of 900, have been instituted since last May, making a total membership in the state a little over 2,400.

The members of the different Tribes in the state are working harmoniously together and the prospects of a further increase is very flattering.

After the Great Sachem had greeted the brothers and a few remarks appropriate to the occasion had been made by a number of brothers, the Council fire was quenched, when refreshments and cigars were served.

At the next meeting of Wyandotte (Thursday night) a paleface will be adopted and all the members are requested to be present.



## WISHING.

Do you wish the world were better? Let me tell you what to do. Set a watch upon your actions. Keep them always straight and true. Rid your mind of selfish motives. Let your thoughts be clean and high. You can make a little Eden Of the sphere you occupy.

Do you wish the world were wiser? Well, suppose you make a start By accumulating wisdom In the scrap-book of your heart. Do not waste one page on folly; Live to learn, and learn to live If you want to give men knowledge You must get it ere you give.

Do you wish the world were happier? Then remember day by day Just to scatter seeds of kindness As you pass along the way. For the pleasure of the many May be oft-times traced to one, As the hand that plants an acorn, Shelters armies from the sun.

—Exchange.

Fancy Clover Seed. M. C. RUSSELL & SON.

Regular meeting this evening at 7 o'clock of DeKalb Lodge No. 12, I. O. O. F.

The fourth annual exhibition of the Kentucky State Poultry Association began yesterday at Louisville.

The nineteenth annual state convention of Kentucky's Y. M. C. A. will be held at Covington, February 15-18.

Call and see our Clover and Timothy Seed before buying elsewhere. Quality and prices. M. C. RUSSELL & SON.

There will be a game of Basketball at the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock between the Regulars and the Germans.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Aikman of the West End was buried Sunday at Kerr's burying-ground.

The family of Mr. H. T. Clinkinbeard will move shortly to Columbus, O., where Mr. Clinkinbeard has been employed for several months.

## NARROW ESCAPE.

The Great Hall Plow Works Suffers Severe Loss From Fire.

The alarm just before 6 o'clock last evening was caused by fire at the James H. Hall Plow Company's extensive plant in the Fifth Ward.

Flames were first discovered in the apartment over the boilers, from which they spread to the rooms occupied by the wood-workers.

How they started is not known. These rooms are in one end of a long two-story building, separated by an open passage from the main buildings, and also separated by a brick wall from the balance of the long building, and the fire was, fortunately, confined to these rooms.

The watchman had just left the building, and Mr. Sam M. Hall had started home, when in passing the corner of Second and Lexington he discovered the fire.

The damage to building, machinery and stock will be from \$5,000 to \$4,000, on which there is no insurance; but as this is the Company's busiest season, and as large and pressing orders are on hand the delay occasioned will entail further loss.

It was indeed a fortunate escape, for this is the one big industry of Maysville, several hundred persons depending upon it for support.

Best Can and Bulk Oysters daily and in any quantity at John O'Keefe's.

At the nineteenth annual State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Kentucky, to be held at Covington February 15th to 18th, Mr. Robert A. Cochran, President of the Maysville Association, will preside at the conference of city Association Delegates on Friday afternoon of the Convention. The Bible Studies will be led by Rev. Henry Ostrom, the well-known evangelist, and the singing will be in charge of Mr. John P. Hillis.

ATTENTION, KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN. You are requested to be at your Hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock prompt; full dress uniform; installation of officers. F. J. LINGENFELSER, Pres. J. R. Devine, R. and C. Secretary.

## TO THE PUBLIC.

Now being the sole owner of the Barber Shop lately owned by J. B. Comer, I will be pleased to welcome my friends and the public at same place, 234 Market street. Motto—"Good Work."

A. L. CUNNINGHAM.

To Cure a Cough. Stop coughing, as it irritates the lungs and doesn't give them any chance to heal. Foley's Honey and Tar cures without causing a strain in throwing off the phlegm like common cough expectorants. J. Jas. Wood & Son and Armstrong & Co.

## THE LEDGER LEADS.

What Others Say of Our Big Tobacco Fair Trade-Edition.

In addition to the many personal compliments paid to THE LEDGER's Tobacco Fair Edition by home people, "there are others," of which these are samples:

Cynthiana Democrat. THE MAYSVILLE LEDGER issued a handsome double-size trade edition Thursday on account of the Tobacco Fair. THE LEDGER is a hustler.

Here's what one of the most successful business men and printers of the Queen City has to say:

CINCINNATI, Jan. 20, 1900. Thomas A. Davis—My Dear Thomas: Until I found the rain coming in full this morning I fully expected to see you and other friends and your "Big Tobacco Show," listen to music and speeches and have a general good time in "Old Maysville" today; also to tell how much I appreciate and value the contents of your immense edition of THE PRINCIPAL KNOWN ISSUED on the 18th inst. Thomas, it is a big thing indeed, and you deserve the special thanks of every Mason county citizen and subscriber wherever he be "dispersed" and dispensed. Only a "printer" and "writer-up" can understand the vast amount of labor and brains necessary for such production. I congratulate you and hope your advertisers, subscribers and citizens will always encourage your ventures numerically and financially largely. Very truly yours, W. B. CARPENTER.

## "A POOR RELATION."

Sol Smith Russell's Play Will Be at Opera-House Monday.



The unanimously expressed desire on the part of the smaller cities of the country to see Sol Smith Russell's great play, "A Poor Relation," is about to be realized, for Manager Fred G. Berger has arranged for a route taking in most of them. After Mr. Russell's enforced retirement from the stage, owing to his illness, Mr. Berger re-engaged his supporting company and, with the clever young actor, Frank J. Keenan, playing the part of Noah Vale, "A Poor Relation" will be seen Monday night at the Opera-house. This play and the character in which Mr. Keenan appears have already secured the hearty endorsement of the play-going public through the United States, and it is therefore no surprise to hear that Mr. Keenan is meeting with a perfect ovation wherever he has been seen so far this season. "A Poor Relation" is one of the prettiest pieces of dramatic work now on the stage; the humor is delicate but irresistible; the pathos is effective, but never overdone. There is no tendency to overload the play with climaxes, but its points are made vigorously and tastefully.

Consumption Threatened. C. Unger, 212 Maple street, Champaign, Ill., writes: "I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had the consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it cured me, and I have not been troubled since." J. Jas. Wood & Son and Armstrong & Co.

The sixth annual banquet given by the Rev. E. L. Powell, Pastor of the First Christian Church at Louisville, will be held Thursday night. The banquet is given to the male members of the congregation and to invited guests. About 400 will be present.

Save doctors' bills by giving Foley's Honey of Tar to infants and children in time to prevent pneumonia or croup, which are fatal to so many thousands of babies. J. Jas. Wood & Son and Armstrong & Co.

## WHAT IT BROUGHT.

Handsome Prices Realized For the Tobacco Fair Samples.

Below are the net weights, the prices and the total realized from sales of the several classes of tobacco exhibited at Saturday's great Tobacco Fair:

Net Pounds.	Price per 100.	Amount.
Bright Leaf.....425	\$21	\$89 25
Red Leaf.....276	22	\$60 72
Logan.....148	30	\$44 40
Trash.....67	31	\$20 77
Totals.....1,016		\$216 02



The Avalon goes to Pomeroy tonight.

The Speedwell will be up tonight for Portsmouth.

The Henry M. Stanley was up last night for Pomeroy.

The Lizzie Bay will pass down tonight from Pomeroy.

The Henry DeBus passed up with a tow of cinders for Ashland.

The Virginia passed down early this morning from Pittsburgh with a big trip. She will return tonight.

There is all kinds of water at Pittsburgh, while the Big Sandy and other tributaries are putting out in great shape.

The Bonanza struck the bank above Cincinnati Friday night, smashing in her bow. She is now on the Marine Ways for repairs.

It is estimated that close to 10,000,000 bushels of coal have left Pittsburgh within two weeks, and since the first rise almost 25,000,000 bushels have been started South.

The Hudson, which has been drying out on the Marine Ways for several weeks, was let into the water to make room for the Bonanza. She is now in the pink of condition.

The Sam Brown, Dave Wood, Sam Clarke, Tom Lysle, Smoky City, Jim Wood, J. C. Risher, Nellie Walton, Acorn, Joe B. Williams, George Shiras, Belle McGowan and Cruiser will pass down today with Pittsburgh coal.

The Consolidated Company has issued orders to the various operators of boats included in the combination that no towboats be sent from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati and Louisville that have less than 18-inch cylinders. The withdrawal of this class of boats is causing some talk among rivermen. Only boats of large power will be operated in the Southern trades until further notice. This may cause a number of steamboats to be withdrawn.

A movement is on foot among leading merchants of the Kanawha Valley looking to the organization of a company to operate an independent packet in the trade from which the Avalon was withdrawn to go under charter in the White Collar Line. A representative of the movement said: "There is little doubt that a boat will be put in the Avalon's place, but only between Cincinnati and Montgomery, near the headwaters of the Kanawha. There is a good deal of disappointment expressed by shippers all the way down to Louisville over the way Captain Cramer treated them. I saw a letter from a shipper at Milton, Ky., addressed to a representative of the Avalon, asking when that boat would be back, or if any steps had been taken to protect the men who had been shipping on her. He declared that they had been left with their fingers in their mouth, and quoted a letter received from the Manager of the Mail Line, saying that while the opposition boat was running they had been carrying tobacco at 75 cents and \$1 a hoghead, but that now the rate would be \$1.50. The people along the Kanawha river are left in the same fix, and, rather than submit to the new conditions, will undertake to put another boat in the trade. They will not attempt to go through to Louisville, as the trip is a little long. Instead, more time will be allowed up the Kanawha river."

Coughs and colds come uninvited, but you can quickly get rid of them with a few doses of Conson's Honey of Tar. Price 25 and 50 cents. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

## Fresh Oysters at Roper's.

Fancy Timothy Seed. Call at M. C. RUSSELL & SON'S.

The Executive Committee of the Inter-collegiate Oratorical Association of Kentucky at a meeting at Lexington, adopted a resolution excluding students of theology from entering the contests. The next contest is to be held at Lexington Wednesday, April 11th.

The tomato growers of Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky organized at Cincinnati with G. R. Johnson of Mt. Carmel, O., President, and J. W. Robinson of Owensville as Secretary and Treasurer. It is proposed to organize a National Association of growers so as to deal with the canning concerns and others controlling the markets.

Persons who lead a life of exposure are subject to rheumatism, neuralgia and lumbago will find a valuable remedy in Ballard's Snow Liniment; it will banish pains and subdue inflammation. Price 25 and 50 cents. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

## DENIES THE STORY.

Mr. Gaines Clayton's Statement of His Reported Marriage.

THE LEDGER is asked to publish this statement from Mr. Gaines Clayton because of unsought newspaper notoriety growing out of affairs over which he has no control and which prominence has given him a standing before his friends here at home and for whose regard he cares, and to give his side of affairs which is wholly at variance with the various reports coming from Portsmouth.

Mr. Clayton was employed by Mr. Lauter, a tinware dealer at 215 West Market street, that city, for thirteen months. His work was acceptable and his conduct exemplary.

The daughter of the employer, Miss Lauter, many times came to the store to keep the books.

There she met Gaines Clayton and because of her pleasant ways he escorted her to several places of amusement and called whenever she had company.

There was no courting on the part of either and no words of love nor affectionate epistles passed between them.

Mr. Clayton left Portsmouth and went to Carlisle to work. Shortly after arriving there he received several letters, which he answered in tones of friendship and persiflage, and to his utter astonishment the next letter bore him all arrangements for the nuptials, together with the day named.

The next Sunday Gaines went to Portsmouth to tell the young lady he was in no position to marry and under no circumstances could he marry her. So far as he was concerned this ended matters, and he went back to his work at Carlisle.

Now the papers state he did not marry the girl because of having a wife.

Gaines wishes THE LEDGER to state positively he has no wife and moreover was never married and the papers publishing these libels must cease or legal powers will compel them.

Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment is the only remedy for blind, bleeding or protruding piles, endorsed by physicians; cures the most obstinate cases. Price 50 cents in bottles; tubes, 75 cents. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

### A Visit to Our Store!

Will consume but little of your time, and we will take pleasure in showing you through, and should you say "I'll come back later when I am ready to buy," you will not hurt our feelings in the least. We feel satisfied you will buy so, because there is no place else so not in much larger cities—where you can find the varied lines of beautiful things to select from—

DIAMONDS,  
WATCHES,  
BRILLIANT,  
FANCY LAMPS,  
STERLING SILVERWARE,  
CUT GLASS,  
and ever so many other things suitable for holiday gifts, wedding or birthday presents—any remembrance, in fact. We have special facilities for resetting any old jewels or repairing watches and jewelry with just the correct glasses to relieve eyestrain.

BALLENGER,  
Jeweler and Optician.

For chapped hands and rough skin use Ray's Eclat, at Postoffice Drugstore.

Removed to our new store East of Market street. We carry the largest and finest line of Harness, Saddles, Buggies, Phaetons in the city. Prices lower than the lowest. Goods guaranteed. KLIFE & BROWN.

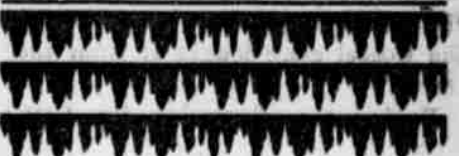
The worst after effects of influenza arise from deranged functions of the liver. Clear the blood at once with Herbine, for it will strengthen the liver to withdraw from circulation the biliary poisons. Price 50 cents. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

In order to assist in making the Tobacco Fair a success we will offer special low prices on anything in stock. Any article purchased which is not satisfactory both as regards quality and price same can be returned and money will be refunded. Our aim is to undersell all others. Now is the time to buy. MURPHY, the Jeweler.

## Free of Charge.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, who will call at J. C. Peck's Drugstore will be presented with a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person, and none to children without order from parents.

No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boschee's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away, and your druggist will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only Throat and Lung Remedy generally endorsed by physicians. The 75-cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.



# Owing..

to the Generous Support of the Public!....

We have our stock down to the point where our business will not be interrupted during the improvement in our store-rooms. By the time this work is done our spring stock will begin to come. Pending that we will continue to sell goods at reduced prices to make room. No matter what you see in the papers, if you are in need of anything in our line, from a pair of Shoestrings to an Overcoat, call on us. You will get the right stuff at the right price.

N. B.—Our Mr. Hechinger will start East in a few days. We buy our goods with spot cash. To do this requires money. To acquire money means to collect from our friends that owe us. Kindly call and pay your accounts.

## HECHINGER & CO.

# IMPORTANT NEWS!

Doubly important because it speaks of an opening in general and some bargains in particular. Beginning today and lasting until the close of this week we will hold our annual sale of White Goods, Laces and

# Embroideries!

This is always an event of consequence. To mark its present occurrence we will do this: For 50¢ you can buy 4 1/2 yards of Cambric or Nainsook Embroidered Edgings, made on the hand machine that does its work carefully and well, not the power machine, that ravel out like a time-worn hairbrush. Some sorts in the variety we show would cost you nearly as much for a single yard.

Furthermore you can have at 10¢ a yard, plain, striped and checked Lawns, Dimities and Nainsooks, in a quality that will cost you 15¢ when these are gone. Also a Checked Nainsook at 5¢ a yard which is a good 10¢ sort. Tomorrow we will tell of other attractions, but the quickest way to get the good news in all completeness is to call upon us.

TELEPHONE 141.

# D. HUNT & SON.

## THE BEEHIVE

### NEW SPRING DRESS

# Ginghams!

We place on sale this week one hundred pieces of new Spring Dress Gingham. We have never before seen this most serviceable fabric made up in such pretty and dainty designs as this large and choice lot of Ginghams. If you have in mind to do your spring sewing now it will pay you to investigate this stock. We know the price elsewhere to be 12 1/2¢ a yard. Our price 9 1/2¢ a yard.

New Embroideries and White Goods! Our early and large purchases of this class of goods, long before the advance in prices took effect, enable us to make you prices that must be to your saving. There are too many styles and quantities to go into details. Prices of Embroideries range from 4 1/2¢ to 45¢ a yard. In the White Goods stock you'll find the choicest kind of Checked Nainsooks, Dimities, Persian Lawns, Paris Muslins, etc., from 4 1/2¢ to 75¢ a yard.

New Mercerized Fabrics! These goods look like silk, and will wear better. You'll find nothing more up-to-date for shirtwaists, petticoats and linings than these Mercerized Fabrics. They come in about fifteen different colors. The price everywhere is 40¢. Our special price is 25¢ a yard.

## KINGS OF LOW PRICES

# ROSENAU BROS.

PROPRIETORS SEE HIVE